

has been seriously ill for several weeks and his many Glades friends will be glad to know that he is improving.

WEATHER

temperature and rainfall at
at Point, Fla. for the week
ending March 8, 1942.

| Date | Max. | Min. | Rain |
|------|------|------|------|
| 2 | 65 | 50 | |
| 3 | 62 | 47 | |
| 4 | 65 | 49 | |
| 5 | 81 | 57 | 0.22 |
| 6 | 75 | 50 | |
| 7 | 75 | 60 | |
| 8 | 83 | 55 | 0.60 |
| | 72.3 | 52.6 | 0.82 |

KIRMA To Drive A New FORD Through The Streets BLINDFOLDED, Monday At 12 Noon

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WHY DON'T WE DO IT?

Herbert Boyard Swope voiced the concern of the American people over the government's stumbling efforts to cope with the rubber situation when he urged federal sponsorship of the synthetic rubber industry.

The former assistant chairman of World War I Industries Board sees in a "non-whispering country," a complete economic and social upheaval with the government deprived of billions in taxes derived from the automobile and allied industries, and no concrete, practical plan to replace them.

Nobody wants crude rubber diverted from war purposes to civilian use. Industry knows how to produce a satisfactory synthetic rubber. The materials are available. Yet Jesse Jones talks about producing 500,000 tons a year of synthetic stock in some distance removed. Factories now in existence cannot turn out more than 70,000 tons a year against an annual rubber usage of nearly 600,000 tons.

Mr. Swope urges an immediate expenditure by the government of 800 millions on synthetic rubber plants. That sort of practical expansion would provide enough rubber within 18 months for all private and public needs, would preserve revenue sources for war purposes which are doomed under present restrictive conditions, and eliminate personal sacrifice of 5,000,000 motorists whose economic and social life are ruined as the use of the motor car.

The American people are prepared to make every sacrifice to win the war. Why impose the unnecessary burden of depriving them of tires and automobiles when a realistic, business-like approach to the synthetic rubber output will solve the problem? —Miami Herald.

THE SYSTEM BREAKS DOWN

Most of the towns and villages on Long Island are maintaining some sort of radio system for air raid alerts. In Roslyn, this is the duty of the fire department. A sleeping bag has been provided for the man who takes the night trick; he just endures up beside the telephone and relays while awaiting an alarm. Well, the other night the Mitchell Field people, testing out their system, telephoned all the motorists in the neighborhood. Everyone answered on the dot but the Roslyn man. He called in 25 minutes later, and reported that the zipper on his sleeping bag had jammed. —The New Yorker.

STATE BRIEFS

William L. Wilson of Jacksonville, director of State Farmers Markets, has been named chairman of the operations section of the newly created agricultural division of the Florida State Chamber of Commerce. It was announced by President Walter C. Sherman.

Orlando Gardeners' Association continues to attract visitors and ranks as one of the nation's outstanding horticultural centers. The garden is at their best at this time with the azaleas in full bloom.

More than half a million dollars in taxes were collected from the first half of a split meeting at Tropical Park horse track in Miami at the beginning of this year's racing season.

Farmers of west in Henry county plotted 300 acres for the growing of sugar cane last week and plans are under way for the establishment of a plant for the manufacture of alcohol at the same time.

The annual convention of the Florida State Horticultural Society will be held at West Palm Beach, popular east coast convention city, April 10-12. The Florida Rose Society will also meet at the same time and place.

While no drilling has yet been undertaken, there is a mad scramble for oil leases reported in Gadsden county. Surveys are being made and three large oil companies are said to be operating in the area.

The annual winter meeting of the Tall Memorial Highway Association will be held in Chattahoochee, March 16-17. Segments of the road will be shown to the public. The association is a non-profit organization which has been working for the improvement of the highway since 1910.

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Stewart Campaigns For R.R.C. Place

MANATEE, March 12 (AP)—Stewart, a prominent candidate for the R.R.C. place, is campaigning in Manatee County. He is a prominent candidate for the R.R.C. place. He is a prominent candidate for the R.R.C. place.

BLINDFOLDED THE GREAT KIRMA WILL DRIVE A NEW FORD SEDAN



Through The Streets Of Pahokee
Starting at 12 Noon Next Monday In Front Of The
PRINCE THEATRE

See The Start of This Drive

See the bandage applied to Kirma's eyes in front of the Prince theatre Thursday at noon. See him drive through the streets of Pahokee—making stops at various business houses. Kirma says: "I chose a Ford for this drive on account of the many safety features incorporated in this latest model car."

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Belle Glade, Florida.

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OUR HUNDREDS OF SATISFIED CUSTOMERS KNOW THE REASON

Careful, thorough, expert work, finished in the minimum of time tells the story, and has been acknowledged by KIRMA, during his theatrical engagement in Pahokee next week.

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Burns Dry Cleaners

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KIRMA to Hypnotize Beautiful Girl in Kahn's Store Window Next Thursday Noon

Kirma, The Mystic, To Drive Ford Auto While Blindfolded

Drive Will Be Made Sharply At 12 O'Clock Noon Next Monday

Promptly at 12 noon next Monday directly in front of Prince Theatre in Pahokee, Kirma, the famous mystic will take his place behind the wheel of a new 1942 Ford sedan and endeavor to startle the people of Pahokee and surrounding communities by driving through congested traffic without the aid of his eyes.

At the appointed time, Kirma

will permit his eyes to be bandaged and blindfolded, after first allowing his spectators to examine the light proof covering, which will cover his eyes. He will then be led to the new Ford car, where he will read a few brief moments behind the wheel before starting his perilous ride.

According to those who are familiar with this occult, the few moments of silence and rest just prior to his start are necessary to focus his mind's eye, and to cause to attune his astral mind upon his surroundings, for it is claimed that his demonstration is accomplished by means of a very highly developed concentration.

Kirma's advance representatives point out that, immediately upon undergoing his mental change, he will speak to no one, and no person should speak to him, lest it should cause him to break the vis-

ible thread of thought that connects him with the vibrations so necessary to the success of his experiment.

Kirma will start his trip from the Prince Theatre totally blindfolded, in a new 1942 Ford. This thrilling and spectacular event will start promptly at 12 noon. Kirma will make a number of stops while en route on his hazardous tour, when he will leave his car and enter the establishments of the Home Town Eatery, Chandler's, Burns Dry Cleaners, Kahn's, J. Elliott, Best-In-Town Cafe, Julia's Beauty Shop, A&P Market, Joy-Han Jewelry Store. He will terminate his drive directly in front of the Prince Theatre where he will appear each evening next week.

Your own opinion is the most valuable thing you have but it is not as valuable to other persons.

Overstreet Makes Public Statement On Congress Race

Touring The State In Interest Of Job In Washington

Earnest Overstreet of Miami is a candidate for congressman at large and this week issues a statement to the public. Mr. Overstreet has served three terms in the house of representatives at Tallahassee and has a host of friends in this area who wish him success in his race for congress. His public statement is printed below:

"On September 9, 1941 I announced that I would be a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Congressman at Large in the primaries to be held on May 5th. In conformity with that announcement, I have paid my qualifying fee to our Secretary of State and will wage a vigorous campaign for the nomination.

In these serious times, when our very existence as a free people is threatened it seems to me that the voters of Florida should give careful thought to their representation in our National Congress and that every candidate should freely and frankly make known his views on all important issues of the day, both foreign and domestic. This I propose to do, and at a later date, I will publicly proclaim my platform. Before May 5th, I expect to visit every community in our state, both large and small, and personally acquaint the voters with my program. There will be no fence straddling, so far as I am concerned, upon any issue which in my opinion concerns the well being of the people of my state or my country, and I respectfully solicit your consideration of my candidacy for this important position."

Earnest Overstreet comes from a pioneer Florida family; his grandfather moved to Florida from our neighboring State of Georgia in 1860.

He was born on a farm and orange grove in Osceola County three miles northwest of Kissimmee, Florida.

He is a graduate of Osceola High School and, when a young man, moved to Miami in 1906, where he has since resided.

He has been a retail merchant and business man all his life, and has been a retail grocer in Kissimmee and Miami for more than forty years.

He has been a member of the Florida Legislature for the past three terms, had been an outstanding leader in that body, and had acquired the experience in law making that will make him a valuable addition to our Congressional delegation in Washington.

Help America! Buy United States defense bonds and stamps. Help defeat the aggressor powers.

Small ads in the classified column of this newspaper pay big dividends. Ask those who have tried them. They cost little and pay big returns.

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We can supply you with

FRESH
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Canal Cleaning Plan Studied

WEST PALM BEACH, March 12.—(FNS)—General Manager George A. Chalker of the Everglades Drainage District has presented a plan to district commissioners for the cleaning of canals and drainage districts of water hyacinth at little expense.

He proposes that a boat be purchased to operate a hyacinth cutter similar to those employed by the U. S. Engineering Department which has proven so successful.

Chalker points out that the total cost of boat and clearing operations should not run over \$2,500 a year.

In addition to improving transportation facilities on larger canals the removal of hyacinth will materially improve fishing, as this was demonstrated by the Miami Anglers Club which cleared many miles of canal at its own expense to prove its contention.

Courage alone justifies survival of a people, a nation or an individual.

KIRMA . . . RESERVES A TABLE AT THE BEST-IN-TOWN LUNCH

For his hypnotic subjects' first meal after her long sleep in the window of Kahn's Department Store

Excellent Food
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Under New Management - Open 24 Hours A Day
Best-In-Town Lunch
— Pahokee, Fla. —



KIRMA — THE MYSTIC

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Kirma will feed the young lady at 4 P. M. Friday and has selected Tillis' Enriched Bread.

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Home Town Bakery

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KIRMA

And His

Presentation

However, there is no mystery connected with a purchase made at

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—KIRMA—

Every item in the store is marked in plain figures. Therefore there is no mystery about prices. As far as quality is concerned—you always know when you buy it at Chandler's, that it is top grade.

Easter Is Around The Corner

As in past years—this store is ready for the occasion. Here you will find those things which go to make the Easter Season a big success. We have special boxes of Candy for the big day. Then, too, we have an unusual assortment of Easter bunnies to gladden the heart of the youngsters. Drop in today and make your selections while the stock is full and complete.

SEE KIRMA'S BLINDFOLD DRIVE MONDAY

JULIAN

Chandler's

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Pahokee, Fla.

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Science Baffling Demonstration of

Hypnotism



KIRMA — THE MYSTIC

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He will Hypnotize his subject, a beautiful young woman and she will remain

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